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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

On the title page, item (56) References Cited, Page 2, OTHER PUBLICATIONS, line 34 reads "...Guanghan Xu et al., IEEE Transactions in Singal Process-,..." and should read -- ...Guanghan Xu et al., IEEE Transactions in Signal Process-,... --.

Page 2, OTHER PUBLICATIONS, line 37 reads "Alexanda Duel-Hallen et al., IEEE Transactions on Com-,..." and should read -- Alexandra Duel-Hallen et al., IEEE Transactions on Com-,... --.

Column 1, line 46 reads "...transmitted over wires, cable, fiber optics wireless, or other..." and should read -- ...transmitted over wires, cable, fiber optics, wireless, or other... --.

Column 9, lines 32-33 read "...value (computed over the entire spectrum of a communication channel.) For instance, the probabilistic cause-effect ..." and should read -- ...value (computed over the entire spectrum of a communication channel). For instance, the probabilistic cause-effect ... --.

Column 11, line 45 reads "...services in the time interval  $T \equiv t \beta[T, T+dT]$ , where dT..." and should read -- ...services in the time interval  $T \equiv t \epsilon[T, T+dT]$ , where dT... --.

Column 11, lines 45-46 reads "...where dT a small length of time on the order of one to a small..." and should read -- ...where dT is a small length of time on the order of one to a small... --.

Column 11, lines 51-52 read "...measured levels of noise the time interval  $T \equiv t \beta[T, T+dT]$ . The list M is a vector whose entries correspond..." and should read -- ...measured levels of noise the time interval  $T \equiv t \in [T, T+dT]$ . The list M is a vector whose entries correspond... --.

Column 12, line 67 reads "A(3,3) A(3,3)+1=2" and should read -- A(3,3)=A(3,3)+1=2 --.

Column 13, line 51 reads, "A. Forced Training" and should read -- Forced Training: --. (no indent)

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Column 16, line 67 reads, "...external singular vectors of ● ● or ● ••• ● ●

Since a ..." and should read -- ...external singular vectors of ● or ● ••• ● ●. Since a ... --.

Column 18, line 36 reads, "The signal transform block 408 coverts raw, digitized..." and should read -- The signal transform block 408 converts raw, digitized... --.

Column 18, lines 66-67 read, "...be to provide for four 64-bin groupings (quartiles) for non aggregate data. The drift estimates help give more accurate..." and should read -- ...be to provide for four 64-bin groupings (quartiles) for non-aggregate data. The drift estimates help give more accurate... --.

Column 19, line 25 reads, "...or the steady state value of noise before and after and event." and should read -- ...or the steady state value of noise before and after an event. --.

Column 20, line 64 reads, "PSD  $_{HDSL\ Disturber} = K_{HDSL}...$ " and should read -- PSD  $_{HDSL-Disturber} = K_{HDSL}...$  --.

Column 21, line 30 reads,

$$\sin^2\left(\frac{\pi f}{f_0}\right) \times \frac{1}{1 + \left(\frac{f}{f_{3 \text{ dB-LPF}}}\right)^6} \times \frac{f^2}{f^2 + f_{3 \text{ dB-HPF}}^2} \times (x_n \times f^{3/2})$$

and should read

$$\sin^{2}\left(\frac{\pi f}{2f_{0}}\right) \times \frac{1}{1 + \left(\frac{f}{f_{3 \text{ dB-LPF}}}\right)^{6}} \times \frac{f^{2}}{f^{2} + f_{3 \text{ dB-HPF}}^{2}} \times (x_{n} \times f^{3/2})$$

Column 21, line 53 reads, "PSD  $_{ADSL\ Disturber} = K_{ADSL}...$ " and should read -- PSD  $_{ADSL\ Disturber} = K_{ADSL}...$  --.

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Column 22, line 24 reads, "It should also be noted that case certain frequency bins are..." and should read -- It should also be noted that in case certain frequency bins are... --.

Column 22, line 35 reads, "The frequency of zeros just increase the level of confidence..." and should read -- The frequency of zeros just increases the level of confidence... --.

Column 23, line 37 reads, "Furthermore, if the columns of A are suitable normalized,..." and should read -- Furthermore, if the columns of A are suitably normalized... --.

Column 26, lines 35-37 read, "...identified. This algorithm is appropriate for identifying the sudden changes in SNR that is common when the level of noise from disturbers suddenly change due to an..." and should read -- ...identified. This algorithm is appropriate for identifying the sudden changes in SNR that are common when the level noise from disturbers suddenly changes due to an... --.

Column 27, line 10 (Equation 5) reads,

"
$$p_i = P\{M(k) = M_i | M(k-1) = M_i\}$$
" and should read --  $p_i = P\{M(k) = M_i | M(k-1) = M_i\}$  --.

Column 28, lines 11-12 read,

"
$$P_{01}(k-1) = \mu_{1|1}(P_1(k-1) + (x_1(k-1) - x_{01}(k-1))^{2) + \mu_{2|1}(P_2(k-1) + (x_2(k-1) - x_{01}(k-1))^2)$$
" and should read

$$--P_{01}(k-1)=\mu_{1|1}(P_1(k-1)+(x_1(k-1)-x_{01}(k-1))^2)+\mu_{2|1}(P_2(k-1)+(x_2(k-1)-x_{01}(k-1))^2)--.$$

Column 28, lines 13-14 read,

"
$$P_{02}(k-1) = \mu_{1|2}(P_1(k-1) + (x_1(k-1) - x_{02}(k-1))^{2) + \mu_{2|2}(P_2(k-1) + (x_2(k-1) - x_{02}(k-1))^2)$$
" and should read

$$-P_{02}(k-1)=\mu_{1|2}(P_1(k-1)+(x_1(k-1)-x_{02}(k-1))^2)+\mu_{2|2}(P_2(k-1)+(x_2(k-1)-x_{02}(k-1))^2)-.$$

Column 30, lines 24-25 read, "The likelihood functions associated with these moments assuming a Gaussian distribution is..." and should read -- The likelihood functions associated with these moments assuming a Gaussian distribution are... --.

Column 31, line 26 reads, "II. Event Clustering" and should read -- III. Event Clustering --.

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Column 31, line 45 reads, "...collection sample time tk. At this time, a window is either..." and should read -- ... collection sample time  $t_k$ . At this time, a window is either... --.

Column 32, line 18 reads, "III. Event Analysis" and should read -- IV. Event Analysis --.

Column 33, line 26 reads, "...coefficients and transfer functions. Note that these are the..." and should read -- ... coefficients and transfer functions). Note that these are the... --.

Column 33, line 28 reads, "...defined above in section I. Training, above." and should read -- ...defined above in section I. Training. --.

Column 33, line 35 reads, "... (based upon statistics of observed SNR changes vs. offender..." and should read -- ...based upon statistics of observed SNR changes vs. offender... --.

Column 33, line 40 reads, "...comparison may be be done probabilistically using Bayesian..." and should read -- ...comparison may be done probabilistically using Bayesian... --.

Column 33, line 43 reads, "...connectivity matrix, see section I, Training, above) to some..." and should read -- ...connectivity matrix, see section I. Training) to some... --.

Column 34, line 1 reads, "...v<sub>ij</sub>, i=1, m and j=1, ...,n<sub>i</sub>,n<sub>i</sub> possibly different for each i,..." and should read -- ...  $v_{ij}$ , i=1, ..., m and  $j=1, ..., n_i, n_i$  possibly different for each i,... --.

Column 35, lines 1-2 read, "...as "was the victim affected or not?" All objects reporting a chance are included, as are all objects expected to have..." and should read -- ...as "was the victim affected or not?" All object reporting a change are included, as are all objects expected to have... --.

Column 35, lines 8-9 read, "...in the network the events occur and the possible cause depend on which victims are being considered." and should read -- ...in the network the events occur and the possible cause depends on which victims are being considered. --.

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Column 38, lines 34-35 read, "...lines have become inconclusive. In this case, more than one likely causes may be the conclusion." and should read -- ...lines have become inconclusive. In this case, more than one likely cause may be the conclusion. --.

Column 39, line 40 reads,

"
$$\Phi_{k+1}^{-1} = \Phi_k^{-1} - \Phi_k^{-1} u_{k+1} (I + u_{k+1}^T \Phi_k^{-1} u_{k+1})^{-1} u_{k+1}^{T\Phi_k^{-1}}$$
 and should read
$$\Phi_{k+1}^{-1} = \Phi_k^{-1} - \Phi_k^{-1} u_{k+1} (I + u_{k+1}^T \Phi_k^{-1} u_{k+1})^{-1} u_{k+1}^T \Phi_k^{-1} \qquad --$$

Column 39, lines 42-43 reads,

"
$$\Theta_{k+1} = (I - \Phi_k^{-1} u_{k+1} (I + u_{k+1}^T \Phi_k^{-1} u_{k+1})^{-1} u_{k+1}^T) \Theta_k + \Phi_{k-1} \mathcal{V}_{k+1} u_{k+1}^T T)$$
"

and should read

$$-\Theta_{k+1} = (I - \Phi_k^{-1} u_{k+1} (I + u_{k+1}^T \Phi_k^{-1} u_{k+1})^{-1} u_{k+1}^T) (\Theta_k + \Phi_k^{-1} y_{k+1} u_{k+1}^T) -$$

Column 40, line 14 reads, "...as four out-of-domain coupling coefficients, beta<sub>11</sub>, beta/<sub>12</sub>,..." and should read -- ...as four out-of-domain coupling coefficients, beta<sub>11</sub>, beta<sub>12</sub>,... --.

Column 40, line 25 reads, "...input spectra of the DSL Services. The inputs  $T_1$  and  $T_2$ , are..." and should read -- ...input spectra of the DSL Services. The inputs  $T_1$  and  $T_2$  are... --.

Column 40, line 32 reads, "...is assumed to be the identity matrix, i.e.,  $M_1=1$ . Similarly, ..." and should read -- ...is assumed to be the identity matrix, i.e.,  $M_1=I$ . Similarly, ... --.

Column 40, line 67 reads, "...variance to the variance derived from from an ensemble of ..." and should read -- ...variance to the variance derived from an ensemble of ... --.

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Column 41, line 48 reads, "... ■ or ■ -1 ■ Since the solution of the

identification..." and should read -- ... ● or ●-1 ● . Since the solution of the identification... --.

Column 41, line 64 reads, "... of the frequency bins, while the second could be propagate..." and should read -- ... of the frequency bins, while the second could be propagating... --.

Column 42, line 65 reads,

"
$$\hat{\mathbf{v}}_{jk} \sigma^2_{jk} |\mathbf{u}_j|^2$$
" and should read --  $\hat{\mathbf{v}}_{jk} = \sigma^2_{jk} |\mathbf{u}_j|^2$  --.

Column 43, line 40 reads, "Impairment Estimation for Out-of-Domain Offenders" and should read -- 3. Impairment Estimation for Out-of-Domain Offenders --.

Column 43, line 27 reads,

$$\label{eq:continuous_pq_j_k} \text{$"\hat{v}_{pq,/k}\Sigma^2_{pq,/k}|u_{pq,/}|^2$" and should read -- $|\hat{v}_{pq,/k}|\sigma^2_{pq,/k}|u_{pq,/}|^2$ --.}$$

Column 45, lines 34-35 read, "...instructions which, when executed in a processing system, causes said system to perform a method, the method com-..." and should read -- ...instructions which, when executed in a processing system, cause said system to perform a method, the method com-... --.

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